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Michael A. Whitney et al.

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For: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS
FOR SENSITIVE AND RAPID,
FUNCTIONAL IDENTIFICATION OF
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USE FOR CELLULAR ASSAYS IN
DRUG DISCOVERY

) Group Art Unit: 1655

) Examiner: J. Fredman

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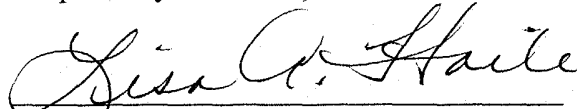
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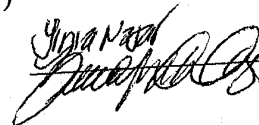
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This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period
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The requested extension is for one (1) month, extending the period for response to
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